

SECRET

PRIMARY

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OUT 66476

P 270231Z NOV 68
FM NPIC WASHDC
TO AIG 7840
BT

27 Nov 68 02 46z

SECRET [REDACTED] CITE NPIC 5123
REF: NPIC MSG 5090, DTG 220230Z, NOV 68.

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[REDACTED] INITIAL SCAN BY NPIC OF GIANT SCALE MISSION [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] REVEALS ADDITIONAL SEGMENTS OF THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED ROAD
CONSTRUCTION IN THE BAN BOTENE (21-11N 101-41E) AREA OF LAOS (REF).
PREVIOUSLY OBSCURED BY HEAVY CLOUD COVER, THE ROAD IS NOW
OBSERVED TO EXTEND SOUTH A TOTAL OF 22 NM FROM THE LAOS/CHINA
BORDER AT APPROXIMATELY 21-11-25N 101-41-18E (UTM QD790453) TO THE
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TERMINUS AT 20-55-43N 101-45-10E (QD862165).
THE ROAD IS SERVICEABLE FROM THE LAOS/CHINA BORDER TO APPROXIMATELY
21-01-10N 101-39-42E (QD766264). SIX U/I VEHICLES ARE OBSERVED IN
THIS AREA.

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INTERMITTENT CLEARING EXTENDS ALONG THE DEPICTED ALIGNMENT
OF ROUTE 4 AN ADDITIONAL 8 NM SE FROM THE POINT OF TERMINUS TO
21-51-00N 101-50-00E (QD948079).

A POSSIBLE CONSTRUCTION CAMP CONSISTING OF AT LEAST FOUR
PROBABLE BUILDINGS AND CLEARED AREAS IS LOCATED ON ROUTE 4 AT
QD933080. ACTIVE VILLAGES ARE OBSERVED ALONG THE ENTIRE ROAD
ALIGNMENT.

THIS MISSION DOES NOT COVER THE AREA IN THE VICINITY OF
SING. LAOS (21-10N 101-09E).

MAP: AMS SERIES L7015 SHEETS 5350 I, IV, 5351 III 1ST END.

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END OF MESSAGE

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	AID	25X1
	IEG	
3	PROD	
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	WEST	
4	EAST	
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	PGM	25X1
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